

SAUNTERINGS  
From Where The West  
Begins.

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For The Sea Coast Echo.

NOTINGS on an Easter jaunt to ranchland: Fields and hillsides present a glorious spectacle. Red, white, purple, yellow and blue wild flowers are in bloom. Patches of bluebonnets present a waving mass of deep blue loveliness waving in the gentle warm breeze of a typical southwest Texas spring day. Prickly pear showing signs of flowering, as are numerous other cacti species to be found in abundance in the brushland. The pleasant odor of freshly plowed fields. Tender sprouts of corn, cotton, potatoes, and other vegetables give evidence of the farmers' activity.

Peach, pear, and plum trees, a dazzling study in Mother Nature's artistic color schemes. A turkey ranch nestled beside the highway. Thousands of these healthy looking fowls strutting unthinkingly of the important role they will play on a national holiday next fall. At Pleasanton, Texas, 35 miles south of San Antonio, wild nettle giving off pure white blooms are found in unbelievable abundance. A bouquet is out of the question. Countless stickers ward from the distance, the thick, bloom-off the flower gatherers. Viewed from the distance the thick, blooming nettle lends an appearance of snow blanketing the countryside.

PARTIES of wolf hunters returning to San Antonio after an all-night session following their dogs in thrilling chases after the cunning and elusive wolf. The dogs are transported in specially built trailers attached behind their motor cars. At a restaurant enroute one group of hunters were discussing the night's sports. The dogs had captured and killed five large wolves, and one hunter had bagged a full grown mountain lion.

A COMMUNITY picnic in a private park on our host's ranch. All the neighbors bring baskets loaded with delicious foodstuffs, and tasty pies and cakes. Table cloths are spread on the ground and all the food is grouped together and shared like one large happy family. A blessing is always asked by some older member present before the meal begins. A spirit of good-natured joshing between the picnickers continues throughout the feast. Barbecued goat, expertly prepared on the scene by one of the ranch hands was the feature course of the outdoor spread. Goat is pronounced "calitro" in Spanish. Spanish terms are more commonly used than English on ranches.

WANDERING Mexican musicians usually make their appearance at the scene of a public gathering in ranchland communities. Like Gypsies, they play mostly from the soul and by ear. Racy tangos and folk songs of their race are handed down from generation to generation. These and an occasional faded popular American jazz hit comprises their repertoire. Much hilarity resulted when the entertainers attempted to translate into Spanish the forgotten song of yesterday. "Yes, Sir, she's my Baby."

SAN ANTONIO Rotarians conducted a revival former annual grid shows held recently at a local hotel. The affair was patterned after the famous grid-iron given each year by Washington newspaper men. Prominent business men, politicians, and others in the public spot light were objects of clever jesting and clowning throughout short acts, skits, and stunts performed by Rotarians.

WONDER if the bicycle fad will be revived this summer? It would be a shame to let all the cute bicycling togs the ladies purchased last season to go to waste. Maybe we could interest some movie star in getting the fad rolling. Bet the drug store man would like to revive the sport. Stimulates sale of bandage and sticking plaster and iodine when the amateur begins his peddling experience. But what about the filling station man who must furnish the bicyclist free air when he knows the pesky thing won't use a drop of gasoline.

ONE of our major ambitions has been realized. In case you're curious, it is knowing personally one of those clever persons who make up the daily papers. Should you have the good fortune to read a strip entitled JANE ARDEN by Monte Barrett and Russell Ross it may prove interesting to know that Monte Barrett (Hap to his friends) is a newspaper man and author of wide experience. It was my happy experience to work on a newspaper under Mr. Barrett's managing editorship. Incidentally, the strip concerns a girl reporter on a large, daily newspaper.

SUNDAY visitors to the Reptile garden at Brackenridge Park are invited to "out themselves a piece of snake" and make themselves at home. Yes, that's what we said—snake—rattle snake to be exact. The snake is butchered, the meat cooked in the San Antonio river nearby, roasted over an open fire grate, and served with bread and coffee—gratis—to those who desire this unusual delicacy. The meat is white and closely resembles chicken. The taste—you'll have to get your information from the 50 or more braver

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### GOV. CONNER APPROVES BILL REFERRING LIQUOR BILL TO BALLOT POLL

Date of Referendum Vote to Be July 15—Persons Having Poll Taxes Only and Not Ad Valorem Taxes May Participate in 'Election.'

Governor Sennett Conner signed the Roberts hardliquor bill Tuesday at 7:45 o'clock. He was alone at the time.

The measure, introduced by Senator W. B. Roberts of Rosebud but finally whipped into shape after a compromise with Representative Joe May of Tallahatchie, author of the state's beer bill, would not go into effect until after its ratification at a special election.

As signed by the chief executive, the referendum was to be held May 15, with only qualified electors who had paid all their taxes participating in the referendum election.

Governor Conner, before signing the measure, however, extracted a promise from majorities in both the House and the Senate that tomorrow they will set back the date of the referendum until July 10, and also open the ballot boxes to persons who have paid poll taxes but not necessarily having paid all of their taxes.

Date Fixed July 10.

The Senate, immediately upon notification by Governor Conner that he had signed the hard liquor bill, passed a measure fixing the date of July 10 for the referendum, and changing the 15-minute old hard liquor law so that all persons who had paid their poll taxes on or before February 1 may participate in the special election. The vote was 29 to 7, being taken at 8 o'clock without discussion.

Before consenting to affixing his signature to the hard-liquor bill, Governor Conner vetoed the winery bill of Representative George R. Smith of Pass Christian on the grounds that the act would not allow a referendum and that it was inconsistent with existing dry laws, seeking to legalize the manufacture of wines for sale outside of Mississippi when not permissible in this state.

The Legislature, having only one day more to complete its labors for this regular session, made heavy progress towards clearing its calendars of controversial appropriation measures and paving the way for legislative action towards providing state relief funds with which to match federal relief funds.

### H. P. Sneed Dies At Tucson, Arizona, Following Illness

Mrs. H. P. Sneed, federal librarian for Bay St. Louis and vicinity, left Saturday for Tucson, Arizona, called by a message that her husband, who left here ill some months ago was in a critical condition. Mr. Sneed, who resided here with his family, was a practicing attorney in New Orleans and well known. He was a native of Kosciusko, Miss., aged 51 years. It is expected his remains will be buried at Kosciusko.

Mr. Sneed was a recognized authority on taxation matters, and beginning in 1910, served as attorney for the state tax collector for New Orleans. He was also an assistant attorney-general under Attorney-General A. V. Cocco.

The son of the late William D. Sneed and Mrs. Frances Boyd Sneed, he was educated at Millsaps college and Tulane University, receiving his LL.B. degree from the latter institution in 1903. He is survived by his wife, the former Miss Shirley Oberine of New Orleans, three children, William D. Sneed, Shirley Sneed and Harry P. Sneed, Jr., and two brothers, J. Wesley Sneed of Oriento province, Cuba and C. Dudley Sneed of Covington, La.

Individuals who turned snake eaters last Sunday.

This reporter suddenly remembered an engagement on the far side of the park when the attendant started around the rattlesnake sandwiches.

NOMINATION for the bravest individual: the fellow who set forth attired in straw hat, white pants, and sport shoes on Easter Saturday, while he rest of us 'fray'd cats dare not cast aside the worn-out felt and darker shades of suiting for fear of conventions. But we know what happened to a daring police reporter who braved the regions of police headquarters attired in robbin's egg blue golf knickers when golf togs were less popular than now. He was almost compelled to make his way back to the editorial room sans breeches, had not a husky fellow reporter come to his assistance.

### TO FINISH COUNTY SURVEY

Of Physically Handicapped People This Saturday—Mrs. Thomas Hale, Supervisor.

The Rehabilitation Survey of the physically handicapped persons of Hancock county recently organized by the C. W. A. will end Saturday, April 7th, unless further developments cause it to be prolonged.

On Monday, April 1st, the investigators of this survey, with Mrs. Thomas Hale, the supervisor, met at the City Hall, to map out this week's campaign. Hancock county, has been divided into three sections and an assistant has been assigned to each area.

Thus far, the project has progressed with all possible speed and thoroughness. It is the aim of the investigators to cover the county completely.

Anyone who has possibly been overlooked in this survey, will call at the City Hall, Saturday of this week, April 7, and will be registered by Mrs. Hale, supervisor in charge, without cost.

### M. K. & T. Grocery Store Announces Delivery Service

Management of M. K. & T. Store, adjoining postoffice, announces the purchase of an automobile to be used especially for quick delivery service to their customers. This is added service and the firm wishes the public to take advantage of it.

Purchases made in any amount or quantity will be delivered to the patron's door. The management says, "Why carry packages, when we deliver free to your door?" A fresh and varied stock is ever available and the market department carries a full line of meats.

### Pine Crafters At Work at CWA Building Attract Much Attention

Mrs. Flurry, a real artist in Pine Craft is instructing a 10-day class in Bay St. Louis, in C. W. A. building. Baskets, wall pockets, hearth brooms, whisk brooms and novelties of every description are being made from the pine needles and pine burrs.

Only ten women are permitted to enroll as the work is being done very intensely with the object of training teachers.

This class is a successor to the Instructional Sewing Project and is paid for by the sewing instructors and the County Recreational Group, who taxed themselves 50c each to pay for the services of Mrs. Flurry.

Each of these groups will improve their own projects with this work. The various Church organizations in the town are contributing her labor. Arrangements were made by C. W. A. Chairman for women.

All visitors are welcome to drop in and see what is being accomplished, which will enable one to realize what possibilities are lost in failing to use the pine needles and pine burrs going to waste at our doors.

### Mutchler & Ashton Grocery Store Now Sells Beer to Trade

In order to further supply the family with all needs, including healthful beverages, Manager M. E. Badon, representing the Mutchler & Ashton Store, announces the sale of beer; that a full stock of different well-known brands is in stock, and will be sold at the popular prevailing prices. Badon says: "Let us put a dozen or half dozen bottles of beer in your next order. Store it in the ice box at home, it will come in handy." Blue Ribbon is one of the popular brands sold. In bottles any number, or by the case.

### HARRISON COUNTY BAR ENDORSES JUDGE RUSSELL'S CANDIDACY

Will Be Supported by Members Legal Fraternity in Race For Re-Election

That Chancellor D. M. Russell would offer for reelection in the forthcoming Democratic primaries this summer, became known Saturday after the Harrison County Bar Association had presented him with a resolution endorsing his administration and memorializing him to offer as a candidate for reelection.

Expressing appreciation at the manifestation of confidence the bar manifested in the unanimous adoption of the resolutions, which came as a distinct surprise to him, Chancellor Russell assured the members of the bar that he would make formal announcement of his candidacy in the press in due time.

The special meeting of the bar association, attended either in person or by proxy by 32 members, was held at 9 o'clock morning hour with O. J. Dedeaux, president, in charge. The chancellor had already opened his session of chancery court for the concluding day of the regular March term and he was requested to yield for the bar meeting.

Following preliminary remarks by J. L. Taylor, the resolution was offered by T. J. White and unanimously adopted.

In expressive language the resolution points out the "faithful and efficient" service rendered by Chancellor Russell, during his six years term as chancellor of the Coast district and calls attention to his "educational qualifications, his legal training, his high moral character, lofty ideals and his unflinching sense of fairness and justice."

Indorsing him as a safe, sane, fair and impartial judge, the bar association memorialized him through the resolution to consent to stand for reelection. His present term expires on January 1, 1935, and he elections for the ensuing term will be held this summer.

Recalled to the bench, Chancellor Russell was informed of the action taken by the bar association by T. J. White, who had been designated to make the notification, remarks by Chairman Dedeaux.

Chancellor Russell, so far as is known, will have no opposition, according to members of the bar association.

Prior to the adjournment of the bar association meeting, a motion was carried providing that the association not give its endorsement to any candidate where there are two or more in the race.

The resolutions endorsing Chancellor Russell were ordered spread on the minutes of the court at the request of the bar association.

### Egg-Tested Hatching Demonstration to Be Established, Main Street

Hancock county is to have an interesting demonstration in raising blood tested baby chicks. Hancock county should raise all of the poultry consumed by Bay St. Louis market. Poultry can be grown economically and profitably in the county by using blood-tested eggs for hatching and brick brooders and green oak wood for heating. Then grow own feed, and you'll make money.

This demonstration has been made possible through the cooperation of Edmund Fahey, who loaned the lot next to C. W. A. building. John Wheat, who donated the lumber to build the brooder house, and George Herlihy gave the money to buy the chicks and furnished the wood. Chas. B. Mollere furnished the feed and County Board Supervisors paid for management. August Sentenell gave the labor.

Plans were made by County Administrator of C. W. A. Instructions for handling the project furnished by county chairman for women.

## PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the last week in the month of April is National Better Homes Week and generally observed throughout the United States, and,

Whereas, Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward was for three years the Chairman of the Mississippi Better Homes in America, and is now assistant to Hon. Harry S. Hopkins, National CWA Administrator,

NOW, THEREFORE, I, G. Y. Blaize, Mayor of the City of Bay St. Louis, do hereby proclaim the month of April as Home Improvement Month, and to further show our appreciation, I proclaim Monday, April 30th, as Ellen S. Woodward Day, and a holiday in the City of Bay St. Louis, to memorialize and commemorate the wonderful services of Mrs. Ellen S. Woodward as State Better Homes Chairman and Assistant to the National CWA Administrator.

Attest:  
W. L. Bourgeois, Commissioner.  
H. Grady Perkins, Commissioner.

### MISSISSIPPI WANTS YOUNG MEN FOR C. C. C. CAMP ENLISTMENT

State Director Geo. B. Power 712 Young Unmarried Men Wanted.

Word has been received by George B. Power, State Director of Selection that Mississippi may proceed with the selection of 712 young unmarried men between the ages of 18 and 25 for enlisting in the Civilian Conservation Corps. The purpose of this enrollment is to bring company quotas to full strength. Resignations and discharges have reduced camp personnel to below normal strength.

The selection of men to fill these places is to be made by the Welfare organization in each of the counties and cities in the state. Selections are now being made and it is estimated that such selections will be completed by April 5. No selections will be made by the State Director: all will be made locally.

Applicants for enlistment are directed to make application at the Welfare Office in the county or city in which they live, since all applicants are being handled there. Men that have been discharged from service will not be permitted to re-enroll.

Lieutenant Colonel Levi G. Brown of the Memphis Recruiting District will be in charge of examinations. Tentative recruiting dates set the start of examinations on April 8, and it is planned that the full quota will be examined by April 15.

Men examined and accepted will be forwarded immediately to Army Conditioning Camps for a two weeks period, and will then proceed to established forest camps where they will be employed for a period of six months. They will work in the woods under the supervision of the National and State Forest Services.

Recently instituted educational facilities in the camps provide an opportunity for enlisted men to receive educational and recreational instruction, which is proving of great value to those enlisted.

### Bay Casino Given Name of "Bradley's" In Prize Contest

"Bradley's" was the name selected by a special committee appointed to receive and select a name for the new place across the bay, popularly called the Bay Cafe, etc.

The name was selected from many submitted by a long list of contestants. It was suggested by C. C. McDonald and also by R. V. Abbley of Pass Christian, and the prize of \$25 is to be divided, it was learned.

Mr. Robt. Bradley is the popular executive manager of the beautiful new place and it was fitting and an easy and short name to use and remember.

It is well to note here that the beautiful and attractive casino building is receiving an addition that will double the size in order to meet an increased patronage.

### St. Stanislaus Parents' Association Plans Bazaar

St. Stanislaus Parents' Association will sponsor a monster bazaar, on Sunday, April 15 for the purpose of raising funds to finance the purchasing of uniforms for the school band.

Mrs. Fahey, president, announces the new committee making changes from the original list:

Cake table: Mrs. F. J. Bopp, Mrs. J. J. Grevenberg, Mrs. George Hammer.

Candy table: Mrs. Ed Heath, Mrs. E. C. Carrere, Mrs. Fahey assisting. Sandwich table: Mrs. K. W. Pepperdine, Mrs. S. A. Power, Mrs. Claude Monti, Mrs. Taliferro.

Refreshment table: Mr. Ed Heath, Mr. K. W. Pepperdine, Mr. J. J. Grevenberg.

Games: Bro. Edmund and Bro. Vincent.

### WAVELAND OPENS BIDS FOR PAVING TWO MILES STREETS IN TOWN LIMITS

Many Contractors From Away Submit Bids—None, However, Accepted at Regular Meeting Tuesday Night—Action Postponed For Further Times.

### GULF PARK 'SKETCH BOOK'

Annual Presentation For Tuesday Night—Sponsored by Rotary Club And Central P. T. A.

Gulf Park College, Gulfport, will present its annual program in Bay St. Louis at Bay High Auditorium on Tuesday night of next week, April 10, under auspices Bay St. Louis Rotary Club and Central School P. T. A.

The program offered this year is called "The Sketch Book," and presents an entirely new arrangement of entertainment. The production will be presented under direction of Misses Mary Minge, Graham and Alice McNutt.

This event is of annual occurrence and is sponsored by the Rotary Club and is well known to the local public. Each year the program improves and the public now looks for its presentation, something different, entertaining and cultural. Popular prices will prevail and it is expected the usually large attendance will greet the young ladies from Gulf Park.

Entertainment will be presented in four parts, as follows:

#### I. STUDIO INTERLUDE

Artists—Fortune Teller—Julia Cordell.

Soloist—Norma Austin. Dancers—Bette Bulpitt, Nannette Hall, Graham Hinson, Dorothy King, Jean Rich, Joy Steele.

Five Minutes Intermission.

#### II. SELECTIONS—Women's Chorus.

Nightfall—List. In the Luxembourg Gardens—Manning Morning—Suckas.

Five Minutes Intermission.

#### III. ALONG THE AVENUE.

1. Distinctive Gifts. Statuette, after Harriett Fris-muth.

Book Ends in Carved Ebony and Ivory—Frances Myers and Coral Schiffman.

Chalice—Gold and Lapis Lazuli—Lorna Lee McDougall.

Dresden Clock—Bette Bulpitt, Craig Dorchester, Berwyn Jervic, Jane Seal, Elizabeth Whayne, Barbara Zimmerman.

Piper of Love—Molly Carver—Geraldine Howard.

#### 2. Rare Perfume—Soloist.

Ballet—Gertrude Feuzel, Betty Herz, Graham Hinson, Jean Rich.

Violin Selection—Maurice Zollman. Two Minutes Intermission.

#### IV. INDIAN MEDLEY—

Solo—Lorna Lee McDougall, Frances Myers, Carol Schiffman.

Solo—Jean Ann Pippin.

Chorus—Gertrude Feuzel, Nannette Hall, Betty Herz, Emmie Lou Hirsch, Martha Nuzman, Jean Reich, Joy Steele, Florence Woods.

Singers—Trio—Geraldine Howard, Hope Terry, Iva Mae Pilcher.

Chorus—Norma Austin, Mary Ann Boyes, Flora Barton, Jane Clayton, Mary Amelia Cook, Mary Gamble, Marion Grieves, Elizabeth Tefft, Jean Taylor.

Accompanists—Miss Mary Frances Steele, Mrs. John T. Welch.

Technical Director—Mr. T. W. Whitten.

Scenic Director—Miss Christine Northrop.

### Scharff's I. G. A. Store Features Jax, Union and Dixie Beers

An evidence of enterprise and expansion of business and of that constant endeavor to always serve the people better, Joseph R. Scharff, Bay St. Louis I. G. A. Store, announces the sale of three well-known brands of beer, Jax, Union and Dixie, in bottles. Specializing in family trade, Scharff's calls attention to this added line and solicit a patronage. Sold in number of bottles to suit convenience. Beer aids digestion and builds vigor. Drink it with meals.

### Subscription Price . . . . .

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Waveland Town Hall presented quite an animate appearance Tuesday night—regular monthly meeting of Board of Mayor and Aldermen. This monthly meeting is always an event of local interest and many attend.

But this "first Tuesday of the month" there were more than the ordinary number of citizens composing an interested audience of taxpayers and voters. It was the time and place for opening sealed bids from contractors who had filed bids for paving streets within the town limits approximating two miles, the route covered already published in this newspaper.

This work will be made possible by a recent bond issue of \$40,000, under provisions of the IWA federal set-up. Waveland authorities were quick to perceive the advantage of getting so per cent of the cost of this important given grant to say nothing of the permanent purchasing of bonds.

A list of bids opened follows. It will be noted each contractor has ancient bids based on width and depth of paving. So the lowest figures \$17,569.09, which is the lowest amount on race might not be the most for the least money, it was stated. The bids were various and it was necessary to adjourn Tuesday night and to meet again after canvassing the various propositions. The 15th estimates gave 2,380 more square yards paving at a street two feet wider, it was said.

Higgins Construction Company, of Alpine, Alabama:

9-6-9 Concrete, \$62,108.74.  
9-6-7 Concrete, \$44,681.15.

Dunn Construction Company:  
9-6-9 Concrete, \$64,985.20.  
9-6-7 Concrete, \$41,057.60.

Popeke and black base \$51,082.66.  
Ala. Rock and Black base \$50,407.40.

Barber Brothers of Baton Rouge, La.  
6-9-6 Concrete \$51,562.85.  
9-6-7 Concrete, \$44,685.85.

Wesco Construction Company, of Chattanooga, Tenn.  
Ala. Rock and black base, \$47,369.09.

## LIBRARY FUNCTION MONDAY

Open House to be Held Monday Afternoon and Eve—Various Committees to Serve

The Public Library will hold open house on Monday, April 9. The public is cordially invited to attend. All types of books are earnestly solicited. Fiction, historical, reference are special appeal for juvenile books. The library serves a double purpose in juvenile patronage, as it offers both incentive and instruction. As it is the aim of the library to keep all instructive matter up to the standard of progress in the present public school system, old school books or discarded methods are not being used—but all available constructive and instructive books are appreciated.

Mrs. W. A. Staehle, assisted by Mrs. Margaret Green and Miss Kathleen Renshaw form the committee to work among the Catholics and arouse interest. One of these ladies will receive the books on that evening.

Mrs. J. C. Buckley, assisted by Mrs. C. M. Shipp, will work among the Methodists. One of these ladies will receive the contributions on open house night.

Miss Louise Crawford, assisted by Mrs. K. W. Pepperdine and Mrs. S. A. Power will arouse interest among the Episcopalians. One of these ladies will receive the books on that evening.

Mrs. Harold Rhoden, assisted by Mrs. W. S. Speer and Mrs. J. R. Scharff, will be in charge of those for the Baptist contribution, and are working to arouse the interest of this denomination.

Tea will be served from 4 to 5 o'clock, with Mrs. Bennie Hille and Mrs. Gordon Boswell presiding. Open house will be held till 9 o'clock p. m. The public is cordially invited and any contribution to the library will be appreciated.



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## PROPOSING LOTTERIES.

ATTENTION has been called to the revival of interest in lotteries as a means of raising money for government. The French Government has already resorted to the lottery to secure revenue. One congressman has proposed a national lottery for this country. New York City is considering a subterfuge whereby memberships in a corporation would be sold for \$2.50 and "officers" at salaries from \$25,000 on downward would be drawn from a "Jury Wheel," thus making the affair a lottery in effect without violating the law.

A writer in the Literary Digest calls attention to the fact that lotteries are not new in this country, that George Washington participated in the Continental Congress's \$5,000,000 lottery. Faneuil Hall in Boston was rebuilt in the latter part of the eighteenth century by a lottery and the National Capitol at Washington was partly built by lottery receipts. In connection with the present growing interest it is also recited that ten states have legalized betting on horse races within the last two years.

A tremendous traffic in foreign lotteries, much of it fraudulent, has been estimated by the Post Office Department to have taken \$3,000,000,000 from this country in three years. "For the most part these lotteries are rackets," says Solicitor Donnelly. "Many of them never conducted; others are conducted but it is frequently discovered that fraudulent tickets are issued."

## ANCIENT KINGS.

SEVEN hundred years and more B. C. a king named Sargon ruled over the Assyrians in the region of the Tigris River.

In his palace he collected a library, consisting of clay tablets with the peculiar cuneiform writing of his people. Later on one of his successors removed the library to Nineveh but in some way a tablet was misplaced, so, by accident it was left where it was recently discovered by a group of archaeologists.

This recently discovered clay tablet, a little larger than a man's hand, contains a chronological list of ninety-five Assyrian kings, going back 4300 years to the year 2400 B. C. Its unusual importance is shown by the fact that the names of only three or four of these rulers earlier than 1000 B. C. had been previously known.

It is a remarkable testimony of the intelligence of man that a language so old has been deciphered and that this ancient knowledge can be reclaimed from the dust of centuries which cover it.

## CHANCELLOR RUSSELL ENDORSED.

IT IS interesting to note that Chancellor Russell's candidacy for re-election to the bench has been officially endorsed by the bar of Harrison county and in time we feel satisfied other counties in the district will do likewise.

Judge Russell has well earned the commendation that has come to him from members of the bar that practice before his court. It is not only an evidence of personal esteem but a manifestation that well attests to his impartial and fair-minded decisions, even though based upon the law. We know of no man who enjoys a wider scope of good will and esteem from his fellowmen than he and The Echo wishes to add its endorsement of his tenure of the responsible trust he so well represents.

It was no mistake, as stated in the resolutions, that he is "faithful and efficient," also "safe, sane, fair and impartial judge," to give this endorsement in order that he may have the recorded satisfaction of having proved worthy of the office and the assurance as well that continuation of his services is desired.

## KING'S DAUGHTERS' HOSPITAL.

WE know of no institution in Bay St. Louis and Hancock county more deserving of public favor and substantial support than the local hospital, known as the King's Daughters' Emergency Hospital, and we are glad to note that a bill allowing aid to the different hospitals of the State will give relief. However, in the original bill, as passed, Bay St. Louis was inadvertently omitted. But, thanks to the alertness and attention of those heartily interested in the welfare of this institution an amendment has been introduced, and possibly passed or accepted when this will have gone to press, making it also a matter of lawful appropriation to give Bay St. Louis hospital \$2,000 per annum. The amount will mean much and will give the work carried on in the interest of suffering humanity a wider scope and enable the hospital to be placed on a better financial standing and clear steer of further indebtedness.

All praise to those who in any way assist the hospital. They will be blessed.

Congress really becomes important when it overrides the veto of a president.

Kind words will take the average man or woman a long way in the journey of life.

Judging from the way they howl some of the air-mail operators must have been hit.

## PASS CHRISTIAN "BUY AT HOME" MOVEMENT.

THE enterprising and progressive little city of Pass Christian, located across the bay from Bay St. Louis, is establishing a campaign of "buy at home" that would be well for Bay St. Louis and vicinity to pattern after.

It is no secret thousands of dollars of money is diverted from local channels—sent away never to return. It is hard, it appears, to estimate the damage thus wrought and the process of disintegration resulting. That which injures the community in turn affects the individual with equally damaging effect.

Citizens of Pass Christian, under auspices Chamber of Commerce, held their second meeting Tuesday night in the interest of the movement and reports to The Echo are encouraging, aging.

The campaign has been going on for several weeks in an effort to have the citizens of the city purchase from local merchants, and give an impetus to local trade. Several weeks ago the merchants of the Pass city met with the board of directors of the commerce body and agreed to enlarge stocks to meet the demands of the increased trade, and offered to carry other lines in order that the purchasers will be able to secure everything needed from them.

Letters have been sent out to every citizen of the Pass asking them to cooperate in making the campaign a success. In addition to the letters to the local residents, letters have been sent to New Orleans residents who maintain summer homes there, asking that they also assist in making the campaign successful by purchasing their supplies in Pass Christian during the summer months.

What applies to Pass Christian applies to Bay St. Louis and Waveland alike. We are satisfied our New Orleans summer visitors and residents buy largely of their provisions at home, but surely there might be some room to practice the buy at home idea to a greater if not to a more intense extent.

## REPRESENTATIVE SMITH'S BILL.

REPRESENTATIVE George Smith's winery bill, passed by both branches of the Mississippi Legislature, has been vetoed by the Governor and for which he gives his reasons. We have no comment to make thereon. To many, possibly the majority, and we are inclined to believe that way, that if it were unlawful to make wine to be sold and consumed by our own people, but not to be unlawful to sell it outside the state, the principle, would not be tenable.

The making of wine in Mississippi would be a boon to the Coast section where grapes and kindred fruit grow abundantly and to advantage. In Bay St. Louis for instance, we have one of the largest and best known scuppernon orchards that has existed over fifty years and would yield to advantage to all concerned in the manufacture of wine. It is regretted Mississippians cannot make wine from their own soil product. A home industry as it were.

It would have been better for Representative Smith to have left out the provision that wine made in Mississippi be sold outside the State only. But it is only too well known that a straight out bill for the manufacture of wine would not pass. It is a great pity and loss to this section.

We hope when the Legislature assembles again that much of the prejudice born of prohibition will not exist and that it will be lawful to manufacture wine of salable alcoholic content in Mississippi. We might appear selfish, but it would be a great boon for a local industry and the Coast would profit largely to a corresponding extent.

## WEALTH TAKES A HOLIDAY.

"THE American people have never felt the lash of the tax collector," says a well-known writer on economics. "The treasury has only recently indicated that it will make a door to door canvass. It must have taxes. Suppose the people who believe the wealthy aren't paying their taxes should say, 'Get it from the rich. Soak them!' The tax collector brings forth statistics to prove that there aren't any rich any more."

In 1928, according to income tax returns, there were 43,000 persons with incomes of \$50,000 a year. In 1932 there were less than 8,000—and later statistics will probably show a further drop. Wealth has literally taken a holiday. The result is that the old policy of piling increasingly heavy tax burdens on persons with large incomes is no longer productive of substantial revenue. The incomes simply don't exist.

What must inevitably happen, if government expense continues to rise, is heavier taxation on small and moderate incomes—on the day-laborer, the salary worker, the owner of a small business and a modest amount of property. Government will have to take more and more of his income and property taxes on the businesses providing food, clothing, power, gasoline and other necessities and luxuries, mean higher prices which are passed on to consumers.

Exorbitant taxes mean fewer jobs, fewer opportunities, hard times—less money to spend for the things that give employment, a constant threat to recovery.

## SURPRISES ADMINISTRATION.

PRESIDENT Roosevelt by taking a vacation during the session of Congress, seems to express much confidence in the ability of party leaders, and other supporters, to maintain the program of legislation that is desired. The House bonus vote, however, was a surprise to administration leaders and may be an indication of what might happen to other White House measures.

## ACCEPTANCE DAY.

MAY 1st has been designated as "Acceptance Day," to honor the memory of Admiral Dewey, who destroyed the Spanish armada and took Manila Bay in 1898. The new measure provides for the withdrawal of all military bases after independence.

## MERELY THEORETICAL

By GEORGE E. SCHILLING

MOST citizens in this part of Mississippi fail to appreciate what a good university they are helping to support with their taxes. A column in a Mississippi paper cannot be used to better advantage than in telling them about it.

It is a very important and practical fact that the University of Mississippi is one of the least expensive in the country. The cost of living is as low as at any first class college, and much less than at most other universities. Neither is there anything for which the student can spend his money aside from the usual necessities, and such inexpensive items as the movies, simple dances and small treats at the "Greeks" or at a soda fountain. There is no competition in extravagance, nor any real opportunity for it. To be specific, five hundred dollars a year, or even less, is all that a student needs for his expenses. This is a highly important consideration to most parents.

Inexpensive as it is, the university is not "cheap." The standards are very high. The boy or girl who "never cracks a book" will not live to be a sophomore. Teachers make a school, and Ole Miss has a remarkably strong faculty. At least two of the professors have international reputations, and others are no less competent and scholarly. It would be unfair to mention any of them without also making a long list. Of Dr. Hume, the chancellor, one of his professors said, very truthfully and conservatively, "You will like him both as a man and as an executive."

Neither does the lack of expensive amusements prevent the students from enjoying themselves very thoroughly. There may be more fun in a dance at the gym, costing only a dollar or so, a movie at 25c a ticket (less on the campus) or a date in the "Y" building with a couple of cokes afterwards than in more elaborate affairs. Nobody could ever pronounce these young people solemn, unless it were, possibly, at examination time.

Regret is sometimes expressed that the University could not be consolidated with the State College for Women and with Mississippi State (Agricultural and Mechanical), and the combined institution located near the center of the state. This would create a university of some three thousand students, one of the largest and most imposing in the South. Such consolidation would have certain important advantages. It would make a bigger school, but there is a very serious question whether it would be a better school for the student. The ordinary boy or girl is apt to be somewhat lost in an institution that is too large.

Ole Miss has about eleven hundred students this year. That is enough to support all the organizations that help to make a university complete,—athletic, literary, social, musical and dramatic. The student with any special talent of any kind has the opportunity to develop it. Moreover he is needed, as he might not be if there were hundreds, instead of only dozens, of competitors. The organizations are good enough to win championships from time to time.

It is a tremendous advantage that all of the students are brought into closer contact and association with the professors than is practical in a larger university. The student knows these great teachers, not merely as lecturers in a big auditorium, or as superior beings engaged exclusively with advanced students, but as his own class instructors. For this reason it is probable that instruction at Oxford will average somewhat better than at larger institutions, where undergraduate teaching is often done by younger and less experienced men.

Even the lowly freshman at Ole Miss is an individual, and not merely a unit. He may be ordered around in an undignified way by everybody from the dean of the graduate school to the stage manager of the dramatic club, he may have his hair cut by his seniors in some unusual and highly unbecoming fashion; but he seems to accept these incidents philosophically, and they help him to become acquainted.

That intangible something we call spirit is the most important fact about any school. Education is not merely learning facts, it is a preparation for life; indeed it is, as John Dewey insists, a part of life itself. Satisfactory life, or even preparation for life, is not possible in an unfavorable atmosphere. The spirit of Oxford is friendly, cheerful, democratic, clean and healthful. "You speak to everybody on the campus."

The writer, already prejudiced in favor of state universities, went there a total stranger. Everywhere he turned, on the campus and in the town, he found a friend. He attributes this, not to any charm or virtue of his own, but to the warm-hearted hospitality of the place. Others have the same experience. One reason for the strong faculty is that professors there have declined appointments to other and larger universities because they found Oxford so pleasant that they would not leave.

There is a very simple proof that this ecology is not overenthusiastic. This year the University of Mississippi had the largest percentage of growth in the student body among all the universities of the United States.

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### POETIC DOCUMENT

(Lake Charles Press)

YOU don't get much poetry in legal papers. So the answer filed by Jack R. Hill, of Dallas, Tex., to his wife's suit for divorce, gets some attention. He wrote 31 stanzas, of which these two give the gist:

"She did not care for a home  
And things that ought to be.  
She loved the vanity of the day  
And the thoughts of being free.

"He tried so hard to make things go  
For a home and a loving wife.  
But she could not seem to understand,  
And so the hell and strife."

Quite a different sort of husband, you see, from Kipling's he-man who decided that "a woman is only a woman, but a good cigar is a smoke." Quite a different sort of poetry, too, if you want to bring that up. As poetry, the legal plea is pretty bad. But as a legal plea, the poetry is so much better than the usual lawyer's verbiage that there's no comparison. It goes to the heart of the matter and says something in simple and understandable language. The author got his degree.

## CONGRESSMEN ELLZEY AND COLLINS BRING HOME THE SCHOOL MONEY.

(Jackson Clarion Ledger)

IT is now practically certain that Mississippi will get close to a million and a half dollars for her public schools from the federal government.

State Superintendent of Education W. F. Bond, who was in Washington and who was presented to the Congressional committee by Congressman Russell Ellzey, gave to Congressmen Ellzey and Collins full credit for the consideration that Mississippi is receiving.

This federal relief will make it possible for the public schools of this state to remain open for the full term, and it will give the children of rural families an opportunity to keep up with their studies.

With the short term, thousands of Mississippi boys and girls ambitious to enter college would be thrown behind, and in this way they would lose a year. Few of them could afford this and result would be that from the public school they would go to work and never have another opportunity to complete their education.

"The people of Mississippi, and particularly the boys and girls, are under great obligation to Congressmen Ellzey and Collins for the interest they have taken in them and for the apparent success they have had in obtaining these funds for the public school," said Superintendent Bond.

Congressman Ellzey is one of the most influential members of the Congressional Committee on Education, and he is looked upon by that body as an authority on matters pertaining to education.

## SCHOOLS TO STAY OPEN.

Jackson, April 2.—Assurance that Mississippi will receive \$1,500,000 from the federal government for school relief during the remainder of the present session was given Saturday to W. F. Bond, state superintendent, by Congressman Collins of Meridian and Ellzey of Wesson.

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## WITH THE MOVIES AND FILM FOLKS

(For The Sea Coast Echo)

FOR a time the very mention of a "costume" picture in Hollywood evoked tears from officials but all that is changed now, it seems. Every major studio has produced or plans a number of such pictures.

Paramount has five costume pictures in the making, including "Cleopatra," "Double Door," "It Ain't No Sin," "Witchy Hour," and "Thirty Day Princess."

Among those made or contemplated at MGM are "Barretts of Wimpole Street," "Operator 13," "David Copperfield" and "Treasure Island."

Universal is producing "Sutter's Gold" and "Elizabeth and Mary," Fox has "Now I'll Tell," and "Maximilian and Carlotta," and Twentieth Century has just completed the filming of "The Firebrand."

Another apparent trend among the studios is the production of a story with the name given it by its author. Heretofore, the title of a picture would be changed several times before its release, often to the detriment of the picture.

Among the productions recently completed at the Warner studios were James Cagney's "Without Honor" and Kay Francis's "Doctor Monica." Next in order come "Madame Dubarry," "Dames" and "The Old Doll's House."

It is rumored that Marion Davies' next picture will be "Movie Queen," dealing with incidents that might happen to a star who is married to a foreign nobleman. Bing Crosby is to be borrowed from Paramount and he is not available, Chevalier may be cast.

Refusing a part in "Alien Corn," Ann Harding's next vehicle will probably be "The Life of Virgil Winthers," to be followed by "The Fountain."

Some disagreement may arise

over studio rights to "Rip Van Winkle," which RKO recently announced plans for producing. Paramount claims to have had the title registered at the Hays office for years and now intends to produce in the form of a musical production featuring W. C. Fields and Lyda Roberti.

Henry Hull, well known Broadway actor, has been signed by Universal for a five-year contract, for two and possibly three films a year, to be produced during the theater's off-season months. His first film is "Tobacco Road," with the probability that Mark Twain's "Pudd'n-Head Wilson," will follow.

Norma Searer's first appearance on the screen in a year and a half in "Riptide" which was produced by her husband, Irving Thalberg, for MGM. As supporting cast, one finds Robert Montgomery, Herbert Marshall, Mrs. Patrick Campbell, Ralph Forbes and Arthur Jarrett.

Warner Baxter will play the lead in the contemplated production by Fox of "Humanity," based on the career of the French scientist, Louis Pasteur. Helen Twelvetrees will supply the feminine interest.

Pauline Lord, one of the few remaining outstanding Broadway stage actresses to resist the lures of Hollywood, is understood to have succumbed and signed her name on the dotted line for Paramount. Several roles are being considered for her but nothing definite has been announced as yet.

Constance Bennett has been selected to play the role of Iris March in "The Green Hat," by Michael Arlen. MGM has been awaiting an opportunity to remake this picture as a talkie since Greta Garbo made it in a silent version.

A new Western star in the making is Reb Russell, an all-American football star in 1930. He has been given a contract by Sol Lesser for 16 super western pictures, including Harold Bell Wright's "When A Man's A Man."

Wife—What have you ever done to benefit any fellow man?  
Husband—I married you didn't I?



# LT.-GOV. GIVES READERS OF ECHO INTERESTING WEEKLY NEWS LETTER

Gov. to Control Appointment Trustees Eleemosynary Institutions—Present Session Kind to Governor—Murphree Land Bill Passes Both Houses.

(By Dennis Murphree, Lieutenant-Governor.)

The 1934 Session of the Mississippi Legislature will adjourn sine die on Wednesday April 4th at 6 P. M.

Much business during the last week. So much that no one person who is in the thick of it can hardly know all that is going on. The last few days of a legislative session are the days when "the snakes crawl"—meaning that this is the time when "snaky" bills are sought to be slipped by.

This week the Senate passed the bill which gives to the governor the control of all the Eleemosynary Institutions, including the State Charity Hospitals, the Insane Hospital, the Home for the Feeble Minded, The Juvenile Reformatory and others. A super Board of five trustees whose terms will extend all the way through this administration and two and a half years into the next administration will be appointed by the Governor and will appoint all managers, hire all employees, fix all terms and name all salaries. An Executive officer will be provided. Several hundred good jobs will be in the hands of this board. The bill had already passed the House so it will now become the law.

This session of the Legislature has been very kind to the Governor. It is true that they refused to vote for his Constitution Convention and also have steadfastly refused to side with him in the efforts to divert the gas taxes away from the roads and in the further efforts to gain control of the Penitentiary with its hundreds of jobs, they have given the Governor the appointment of the State Bank Comptroller who will handle all of the state banks; they have given him the Super Board of Trustees Bill which will as above outlined, control all employees of the State Eleemosynary institutions. Two years ago they gave to the Governor the 12 year Board of College Trustees who will direct all the State Colleges for 12 years and also changed the law so that the State Tax Commissioners appointed in this administration will control that body until April 1940. Also the Game Commission with its host of employees, wardens, etc.

It gives me much pleasure to say that the "Murphree Land Bill" has finally been passed by both Houses and has been sent to Governor Conner. We are very hopeful that he will sign the bill, because as stated editorially by a Jackson newspaper, this bill is one of the real pieces of "Relief" which this Session of the Legislature has had before it. If the governor signs this bill it will not be long before there will be a list of these State Tax Forfeited Lands will be placed in the courthouse in each county in Mississippi and a letter written to the man who lost the land on account of taxes, telling him that he can now have the chance to buy his land back at a price to be determined by the Governor, the Attorney General and the Land Commissioner, which may be as low as one dollar per acre and that he may have five years in which to pay. If the former owner does not apply then, any other person may purchase this land. Here is a golden opportunity for thousands of people to get a home of their own.

The "Hard Liquor Bill," has passed both Houses. If the Governor signs it, we will have a statewide election on May 15th to see whether or not the people want liquor sold legally in Mississippi. On the ticket will be two questions. One will be, do you

want liquor sold in the state. The other will be, do you want liquor sold in your county. If a majority vote for the state wide sale, liquor will be sold by an agent appointed by the Board of Supervisors or by the Sheriff in those counties where a majority also vote for sale in their counties.

On Saturday there was passed the appropriation bills which give small amounts to local hospitals about over the state. Some forty small hospitals will receive aid so that they may help take care of sick and afflicted people in their communities.

Both Houses have passed a bill which is designed to complete the new Insane Hospital over in Rankin County. More than two thousand crazy people are now cooped up in the old hospital here and it is so dilapidated that it is falling down. The new hospital will be completed in five months if the bill becomes a law. The new bill provides that two new commissioners be added to the old commission. One of the new men is to be appointed by the Speaker of the House and the other is to be appointed by the Lieutenant Governor.

The Kyle land bill which allows the payment of installments of delinquent land taxes on land sold to the state but on which the time to redeem has not expired, has passed both houses but it apparently has not been agreed to by the conference committee. We hope these differences may be ironed out this week.

The business of agreement between the two houses on the big appropriation bills has not yet been reached. The Senate increased the Free School appropriations by \$1,200,000 and made other increases in these bills. The House declined to agree to the raises. A Conference committee was asked for and appointed from both Houses. This committee was appointed last Tuesday. Up to this date which is Saturday afternoon, the Senate conference session beyond the date set for adjournment.

Bills have been introduced in line with the Governor's request that the state put up a million dollars to match Federal money to continue the RFC and CWA relief work in the state. A bond issue bill has been introduced which will give the present Welfare Commission, which was appointed by the Governor, the right to continue the spending and allocation of the money. Another bill has been introduced signed by 21 Senators setting up a new Commission of three men, one to be appointed by the Governor, one to be elected by the Senate and one to be elected by the House. These men to allocate and spend the money as above outlined. Under this last bill the money would be spent as follows: 25 per cent for miscellaneous projects; 25 per cent for Education and 50 per cent for county roads and secondary roads on the state highway system. I favor the latter plan. I am opposed to dole or to wasting the taxpayers money.

I will try to give you a resume of what the legislative session has done and failed to do, next week.

Rufus—What is it that always goes with its head down?  
Goofus—I give it up. What is it?  
Rufus—A nail in your shoe.

Henry—What did your wife say when you stayed so late the other night?  
Milton—She hasn't finished telling it all to me yet.

## "AS HUSBANDS GO" AT A. & G. THEATER SUNDAY AND MONDAY

Fox Film Produced by Jesse L. Lasky Has Warner Baxter, Helen Vinson And Warner Oland In Leading Roles

Rachel Crothers, whose pen is responsible for such outstanding successes as "When Ladies Meet," "Let Us Be Gay," once again comes to the forefront with her latest endeavor, "As Husbands Go." Produced by the Fox Films, the picture will make its appearance at the A. & G. Theater, Sunday and Monday and remain for an engagement of 2 days. Warner Baxter's starring role in the film is heralded as being his best and most suave to date. It is also reported that the other members of the cast constitute an achievement in casting. Rachel Crothers has that rare knack of sketching her characters from life and having them say things that everyone thinks. In "As Husbands Go," she has written of a situation close to every home and every woman.

On a pleasure jaunt in Paris, a young wife and her middle-aged friend find unexpected romance. Before returning home, the young wife informs the young Englishman she has become infatuated with, that she will secure a divorce from her husband. Upon her return she is determined to tell her husband of her new love, but his charming sweetness is impossible for her to penetrate. The situation becomes more embarrassing when the lover arrives. The husband welcomes him with open arms, and even when he discovers that he is the man his wife is in love with, he is determined to find out what sort of man he is. The Englishman's admiration for the husband becomes so great that he feels his presence is an injustice and so he departs. The young wife realizing her mistake returns once more to the love of her husband.

Warner Baxter who was last seen in "Paddy, The Next Best Thing," has for his leading lady, Helen Vinson, who gave a splendid performance in "The Power and The Glory." The other members of the cast are Warner Oland, Catherine Doucet of stage fame, G. P. Huntley, Jr., Frank O'Connor, Eleanor Lynn and Jay Ward.

Hamilton MacFadden directed from Sonya Levein's screen play.

### Advice

Hubby—Darling, don't make any more of those biscuits, will you?  
Wife—Why not, Fabian?  
Fabian—Because, you're too light for such heavy work, dear.

### NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Executor's—Administrator's notice to creditors of Henry Mortier.

Letters of administration having been granted on the 2nd day of March 1934, by the Chancery Court of Hancock County, Mississippi, to the undersigned upon the estate of Henry Mortier, deceased, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against said estate to present the same to the Clerk of said Court for probate and registration according to law within six months from this date, or they will be forever barred.

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## WAVELAND NEWS-NOTES

MRS. MAUD BOURGEOIS.  
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Mr. and Mrs. Preston Vinet and Sara came over for the Easter holidays. Mrs. Gaines Jordy spent the week end with them.

Mrs. R. G. Hubbard, Jr., went to New Orleans to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. H. A. Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Bridede and Mrs. W. J. Curry spent several days at their beautiful home in Coleman avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Deitrich came over for the Easter holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Jacobi and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. Herbert from New Orleans and Father H. J. Jacobi from Reserve, La., were visitors to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Jacobi.

Mr. Vallie Pons and Mr. Claud Battle were guests of their aunt Mrs. E. B. Schwartz.

Mrs. J. Berg and daughter Adelaide were over for the week end.

Mrs. Henry Pons, her sister, Mrs. Triffly and niece, Mrs. Thomas were visitors here Easter.

Our regular Monday night Recreational meeting was largely attended. We learn something new every week and those who do not attend are really missing something good—come out and have some good laughs.

Miss Florence Theil entertained several young folks at a weiner roast on Jordan river complimentary to her cousin Miss Elizabeth Govan Wallis. A party of friends came over from New Orleans for the affair. Her guests were Misses Beth Hawthorne, Sadie Rodeway, Dot Wymer, Maud Bourgeois, Lucile de Armas and Gertrude Wymer Messrs. Kenneth Donaldson, Randolph Henderson, Jack Baldwin, Walter Theil, Vallie Pons, Claud Battle, James Rutherford, Lawrence Fitzpatrick and Mar Lehman, Charles Jansen. These young folks were chaperoned by Mrs. E. B. Schwartz and Mr. Orvil Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bordages were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Carrio.

The honor roll students are as follows:

Primer—Anna Mae Bourgeois and Marjorie Goelzenleuchter.  
First—Catherine Ladner, Leroy Bourgeois, Ray Marrero.  
Second—Myrtle Mae Ladner, Bonnie Mae Powell, Claude Bourgeois, Edith Ladner, Louis Marrero, Paul Fayard, Ruth Villere.  
Third—Rose Mary Holderith, Mary Margaret Turcotte, Mary Bourgeois, Morris Bourgeois, Virginia Powell, Hoyt Clement, Estelle Bourgeois.  
Fourth—Lucien Mayner, Esther Yarborough, Edward Carrio, R. J. Ladner.  
Fifth—Yvonne Henley, Grace Ladner, Lee Bourgeois.  
Sixth—Isabelle Carrio, Alvin Larner.  
Seventh—John Fayard, Warren Hale, Rudolph Helmrich, Alvin Marrero, Betty Carrio, Elena Bourgeois, Vernelle Bourgeois, Ella Favre, Evelyn Turcotte.  
Eighth—Ralph Bourgeois, Marcel Bourgeois, Dolores Bourgeois, Milton Favre, Bradley Mazarakis, Milvin Villere.

## INSANE HOSPITAL TO BE FINISHED

Jackson, Miss., March 31.—Early completion of Mississippi's \$5,000,000 "white elephant" insane hospital, construction of which was started in 1926, was assured Saturday morning when the Senate passed the four House bills to enable such completion.

One bill adds two members to the hospital commission; a second authorizes a \$250,000 bond issue; the third authorizes application for PWA funds, and the fourth formally appropriates a total of \$982,000 for completion.

Orleans parish bonds would be acceptable securities for Mississippi depositories under a conference report adopted today by the Senate on the bill authorizing HOLC bonds as acceptable security for state depositories.

The House passed the bill establishing the two-platoon fire system in all Mississippi cities, requiring that no fireman work more than 14 hours.

The House also passed the Senate "temperance" bill creating a state temperance commission, making instruction in the evils of alcohol compulsory in all public school grades, and providing for annual prize essays on this subject in all schools.

The House rejected a suggestion by Representative Denson of Prentiss that the bill be amended to prohibit teachers from drinking or smoking.

The Senate amended the House bill appropriating \$66,250 for charity wards in private hospitals by including \$20,000 for the King's Daughters hospital at Bay St. Louis.

Executive approval of the Robert's liquor bill was indicated by Governor Conner today, when he said: "I will

## PROFESSIONAL RING SHOW FOR FIGHT FANS THIS FRIDAY EVENING

Big Boy Peterson to Clash With Alabama Giant, George Cook—Number Other Bouts

On Friday, April 6th, at W. O. W. Hall in Bay St. Louis, "Big Boy" Peterson will clash with the Alabama Giant, George Cook in the main attraction of a well balanced card, backed up by some of Mississippi's future greats in the prize ring.

This will be the first professional show in many a moon but indications point to a capacity house as this show seems to be the talk of the Gulf Coast fans and their interest in the "Mississippi Warrior's" chances against the Alabama Giant will most likely bring many an old time ring fan back to the "arena of sock."

Peterson, who has beaten most of the big league fighters claims this his come-back campaign and has been training faithfully for the coming fray with George Cook, knock-out artist from Birmingham.

George Cook is a mighty six-footer who packs a mean wallop as indicates his record of some twenty knockouts over the best opponents in California, Texas and Mexico his recent states of campaign in the squared circle. Danny McCall, Bud Lampert, Kayo Flowers, Big Mike Cass, Sailor Sacks, Johnny Everett, Tim Stanton and Jack Stock were knocked looping by Cook who comes here the first week in April to match his wallop with our gladiator, who has disposed of Jack Webb, Jeff Carroll, Marshall Moses, Hans Birkie, Paulino Uzcudun, Ted Sawana, Otto Von Porat, Tony Fuente and a host of others.

Kid O'Sey of New Orleans clashes with Little Boy Peterson in the eight round semi-final. O'Sey has been fighting with much success and readily agreed to meet the young Peterson to show the Gulf Coast fans his stuff, hoping to get a main bout on one of the future cards. This fight will be an attraction in itself as both battlers are game to the core and can give and take lots of punishment.

Young Garland, Bay St. Louis, lightweight will try conclusions with Dominick Doro, New Orleans terror, who has some ten knockouts to his credit. "This Garland kid should round into a great fighter if matched properly," said Eddie Coulon, the bantam who gave the Ex-World's champion two sound lacerations.

Ringside prices will be 75 cents, general admission 55 cents. Children under 12 years will be admitted for twenty-five cents.

## GULFVIEW SCHOOL NOTES

The eighth grade class of Gulfview School met on March 29 and organized. The following officers were elected: Robert Colson—President. Florence Hose, Secretary. Final plans for graduation exercises were made at this meeting. The school will close on May 23.

The honor roll for the seventh month contains the following names: First grade—Jane Garcia 94; Bessie Garcia 90; Leona Lafrance 90; Dolores McKean 90; Helen Ladner 90; Sanford Green 92. Second grade—Ruthmae Ncassie 92; Aleciadell Bennett 92; Elvie Yarborough 93; Charles McArthur, 92; Larry Green, Jr., 95; Eldridge Garcia 91. Third grade—Alvina Lafrance 92; May McGean 91; Beatrice Ncassie 90; Jefferson Chouest 92; Eliot Ncassie, Jr., 94. Fourth grade—Hilda Yarborough 90; Doyle Garcia 91; Annie Mae Lafontaine 90; Clarence Schwartz 90; Merlin Ladner 90; James Ncassie 91; Lester Lafrance 90. Fifth grade—Ellerae Lusich 90; Jesse Lafontaine 90. Sixth grade—Cyril Ladner 92. Seventh grade—Eunice Ncassie 90. Eighth Grade—Beulah Chouest 90; Florence Hose 93.

## Bell Telephone Company Manager Announces Increased Patronage

Business for the Southern Bell Telephone Company in the Coast district for the quarter from January 1 to April 1, said Manager A. Fishburn, showed an appreciable improvement over the preceding quarter and also over the same period last year. A number of telephones taken out previously have been put back in and the per cent of collections during the past quarter shows substantial improvement.

Many discontinued telephones have proven to too many instances of loss of business. One local business man said: "I keep my phone not for my own use and convenience so much as I do for the public who telephone in." In the home a telephone is the best investment from many viewpoints. It means protection during the night and serves as a medium of accessibility in the event of emergency like nothing else could take its place. Dispensing with the telephone is too often false economy.

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## ALLOWANCES OF CITY COMMISSIONERS, BAY ST. LOUIS

The following bills were allowed, approved and ordered paid by the Board of Mayor and Commissioners of the City of Bay St. Louis.

### APRIL MEETING

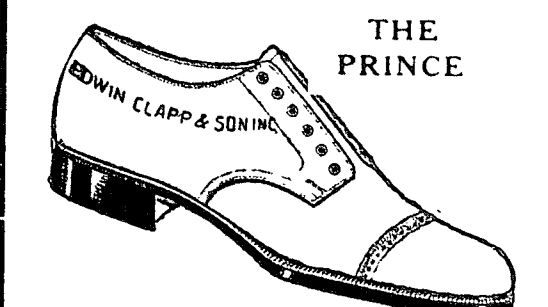
#### CITY FUND PAY ROLL

H. L. Bourgeois, Com. salary	200.00
H. Grady Perkins, Com. Sal.	200.00
Lucien M. Gex, City Attorney salary	90.00
C. A. Gordon, Auditors quarterly salary	75.00
W. T. Hobbs, Chief of Police salary	75.00
Mark Oliver, Night police Salary	60.00
Victor Favre, Day police sal.	60.00
Frank Dillman, Fireman's salary	60.00
Marcel Telhiard, Fireman's salary	60.00
Joseph Scafide, Fireman's salary	60.00
Willie Tomassich, I night fighting fire, 3rd ward, (February)	1.50
Oscar Lafontaine, Cemetery Keepers salary	27.50
Gus Temple, Church clock keepers salary	10.00
Fred Banderet, labor	51.25
Rene Bernond, labor	50.00
Alfred Arnold, labor	50.00
Peter Sick, labor	53.75
Thos. Quintini, labor	51.25
George Johnson, labor	50.00
Albert Favre, Street foreman salary	95.00
Willie Sick, labor	25.00
Andrew Carver, labor	25.00
Andrew Pouyadeau, labor	6.25
L. C. Carver, Janitors sal.	60.00
King's Daughters, Monthly donation	25.00
Chamber of Commerce Monthly donation	21.00
St. Margaret's Daughters Monthly donation	20.00
Musical Band, monthly donation	50.00
Aetna Life Ins. Co., monthly Ins. Premium	30.90
Eugenia Ramond, Stenographic work	3.00

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## STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE MERCHANTS BANK & TRUST COMPANY OF BAY ST. LOUIS.

No. 85-135 Located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business March 5th, 1934, made to the Superintendent of Banks.

### RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts	\$178,801.00
Overdrafts, unsecured	295.75
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	70,150.00
Guaranty Fund with State Treasurer	1,500.00
Banking House and Lot	14,242.00
Other real estate owned	24,888.14
Furniture and Fixtures	13,970.00
Due from other banks (Commercial or reserve funds)	60,694.79
Exchange and Checks for next day's clearings	426.99
Suspense	4.40
Currency	4,831.00
Silver, Coin, Nickels and Cents	902.94
Accounts Receivable	4,000.00
Insurance	4,000.00
Accrued Interest on Notes and Bonds	1,589.28
Total	\$379,596.39

### LIABILITIES

Capital Stock	35,000.00
Surplus fund	10,000.00
Undivided profits, less amount paid for interest, taxes and current expenses	4,204.26
Individual Deposits subject to check	90,648.82
Savings	128,313.59
Time Certificates of Deposits	27,502.36
Cashier's Checks	1,802.01
Capital notes	50,000.00
Reserved for accrued taxes and Insurance	500.00
Reserved for accrued Int. on Time Deposits	1,425.26
Reserved for State Banking Department Assessments	200.00
Total	\$379,596.39

I, W. Val Yates, Cashier do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of Merchants Bank & Trust Company located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business on the 5th day of March, 1934, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:  
W. VAL YATES, Cashier,  
CHAS. G. MOREAU,  
GEO. T. HERLIHY, Directors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI, COUNTY OF HANCOCK.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me, By W. V. Yates, Cashier, this 4th day of April, 1934.

(SEAL) EVELYN CONNER, Notary Public.  
My Commission expires February 26, 1935.

## A. & G. Theater

Thursday & Friday, April 5-6.  
JANET GAYNOR & LIONEL BARRYMORE in "CAROLINA"  
And comedy.

Saturday April 7.  
WYNNE GIBSON in "SLEEPERS EAST"  
And comedy.

Sunday & Monday, April 8-9.  
WARNER BAXTER AND HELEN VINSON in "AS HUSBANDS GO"  
Fox News and Cartoon.

Tuesday & Wed., April 10-11.  
KAY FRANCIS in



**DR. W. S. SPEER**

WISHES to announce that he will resume his practice in Bay St. Louis and Picayune as usual, starting MONDAY, APRIL 9, with the assistance of Dr. J. H. Fleetwood.

**The Sea Coast Echo****City Echoes**

—Mr. and Mrs. Lucien M. Gex had as their week-end guests from New Orleans for Easter their relatives, Dr. and Mrs. W. W. Calhoun and family.

—Miss May Lavigne of New Orleans is visiting at the home of her friends, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kenney and Miss Irma Louise Kenney, on North Beach Boulevard.

—Mr. and Mrs. Auguste Carrere have gone to New Orleans where they will visit for a period of short duration, house guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carrere.

—Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Carrere and family have returned to their home in New Orleans, following a house party for the week-end at their summer villa on Waveland beach.

—Mr. Conney Weston was sufficiently recovered from an indisposition to go back to his home at Logtown Wednesday after spending a week at the King's Daughters Hospital in Bay St. Louis.

—Mrs. I. R. Allen, of Wheaton, Ill., and Mrs. P. E. Frederick of Joliet, Ill., motored down to Bay St. Louis for a ten-day stay visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rappal at Villa Mazera.

—Mrs. Julian M. Swoop re-opened her beach summer villa for the Easter season and had her daughter, Miss Isabelle Swoop and son-in-law and daughter, Mrs. J. William Nott and their young daughter, Isabelle, as house guests.

—Miss Chaddie Elliott, who has been the accomplished and attractive Easter week-end visitor to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Elliott, Union street, has returned to New Orleans to resume her studies.

—Many friends of Dr. C. J. Buckley will be pleased to learn of his rapid convalescence from a severe attack of acute indigestion which he suffered shortly before midnight Monday. Dr. A. P. Smith was the attending physician.

—Mr. and Mrs. William R. Alcorn of Chicago, who are spending part of the late winter at Edgewater Gulf, visited Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rappal this week for a day and also motored to New Orleans together on a visit to the Crescent City.

—Mrs. Robert W. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Jos. P. McGinn and family of New Orleans were Easter season visitors to Henderson Point, where they occupied a cottage on the beach and visited Bay St. Louis friends while on their visit to the Coast.

—During the absence of Mrs. H. P. Sneed, who was called to Arizona by the illness and subsequent death of her husband, Mrs. Catherine Schmidt is in charge of the federal library project in CWA building, Main street.

—Mrs. John R. McMillon, accompanied by Mrs. Otis Holmes, after a visit here to Mrs. McMillon's daughter, Mrs. M. E. Baden, returned home to McComb Thursday morning, accompanied by Mrs. Baden who will remain with her parents until the week-end.

—Mrs. Roberta Case, spent the Easter week-end with her sister and family in Houston, Texas, covering the trip Sunday morning by air plane and returning home by rail. Mrs. Case is acquainted in Houston, and her visit was a most pleasant one.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joe Poillon of New Orleans, former residents of this city celebrated their 17th wedding anniversary March 17th at their home on Wisteria street. The occasion was a happy one as the celebration was one of many prearranged surprises.

—Mrs. John Dugan has returned to New Orleans following a fortnight's stay, visiting her sisters, Mrs. J. W. Bryan, Mrs. H. P. Burbank, Mrs. L. E. Kenney and Mrs. C. J. Chadwick at different times at their respective homes on North Beach Boulevard.

—Mr. Reginald Blaize returned to Baton Rouge Monday to resume his studies at L. S. U., after spending the pre-Easter holidays visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Blaize on South Beach Boulevard. Young Mr. Blaize will graduate this season in chemical engineering.

—Mr. and Mrs. George W. Law, prominent residents of Lake Charles, La., returned to their home Monday, after a stay of ten days in Bay St. Louis at the Answer with Mrs. A. Bourgeois, and motoring along the Coast during their stay. En route home they spent a few days in New Orleans, visiting friends.

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**Of Interest to Farm Owners and Federal Loan Propositions**

A. C. Brown, secretary-treasurer of the Abe Lincoln National Farm Loan Association, of Hancock county, received word a few days ago from Wm I. Myers, Governor of the Farm Credit Administration, Washington, D. C., that Federal land bank loans and land bank commissioner's loans will be made in the future through the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation, which bonds are guaranteed by the United States Government both as to principal and interest, which will be at the rate of 4½ per cent, per annum for this time. These bonds will take the place of the cash distribution in the disbursement of the unclosed loans previously approved by the Federal land banks.

**Bay Delegates To State Music Club Convention This Week**

Convention of the federation of music clubs in session Tuesday and today—Friday—and press reports are to the effect the State is well represented.

Bay St. Louis is represented by Miss Margaret Green and Mrs. George R. Rea, vice president of the local Schubert Club.

**COLORED CHURCH NOTICE.**

The Valena C. Jones M. E. church (colored) Rev. T. A. Sears, pastor. On Sunday night April 8, at 7:00 P. M., the One Hundred Men Debating Benevolent Association will have their annual sermon at the Valena C. Jones Church.

Special music by the choir. Welcome Address by (Miss) Geneva Daniels. Sermon by Rev. Sears. The public is cordially invited.

**STATEMENT OF THE FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE HANCOCK COUNTY BANK OF BAY ST. LOUIS, MISS., No. 85-134**

Located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business March 31, 1934, made to the Superintendent of Banks.

RESOURCES	
Loans and Discounts	\$ 670,012.44
United States Bonds, Certificates of Indebtedness and War Savings stamps	6,635.25
Overdrafts unsecured	3,470.46
Stocks, Bonds, Securities, etc.	751,408.93
Warrants (State, County and municipal)	1,240.61
Guaranty Fund With State Treasurer & Federal Dep. Ins. Corp. Asst.	5,771.07
Banking House and lot	61,100.00
Other real estate owned	12,493.89
Furniture & Fixtures	16,625.43
Due from other banks—commercial or reserve funds	244,206.93
Exchange and checks for next day's clearing	209.08
Currency	22,765.00
Silver coin, nickels, and cents	1,398.97
Exempt Surplus	
Invested	60,000.00
All other items of Resource, viz: Deferred Claims	10,673.75
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,868,011.81</b>

LIABILITIES	
Capital Stock	100,000.00
Surplus Fund	55,000.00
Undivided Profits, less amount paid for interest, taxes and current expenses	431.58
Dividends	8.00
Individual deposits subject to check	276,630.89
Savings Deposits	518,546.77
Time Certificates of deposit	326,375.90
Certified Checks	293.50
Cashier's Checks	
Checks	27,412.12
Due Branch Banks	1,149,259.18
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$1,868,011.81</b>

I, Leo W. Seal, President do solemnly swear that the above is a true statement of the financial condition of The Hancock County Bank, located at Bay St. Louis, in the County of Hancock, State of Mississippi, at the close of business on the 31st day of March, 1934, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct Attest:  
LEO W. SEAL, President.  
R. C. ENGMAN,  
CARL MARSHALL, Directors.

STATE OF MISSISSIPPI,  
COUNTY OF HANCOCK.  
Sworn to and subscribed before me a Notary Public, this 4th day of April, 1934.  
A. A. SCADIE,  
Notary Public.  
My Commission expires February 26, 1936.

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**APRIL 6TH ARMY DAY OVER UNITED STATES: PLANNING FOR FUTURE****Activities of U. S. Army Well-Known—Fort Barrancas, Fla., Busy Headquarters.**

Today is Army Day, a date set apart for citizens to show their interest in our national defense forces and their appreciation of what these forces are doing in peace as well as in preparation for war.

At this time the garrison at Fort Barrancas finds itself busily engaged in the third enrollment of the Civilian Conservation Corps, enrollees being drawn from those in this community who have had to turn to the government for help during this crisis.

The activities of the United States Army are well known in a general way to the readers of this paper. Many of them however have in the past few months had their interest quickened through their relatives or friends being brought into more intimate contact with this great power of our government due to its activities in organizing and conducting various civilian activities concerned with peace time emergency which had so slowly developed around us that it was almost with a start that the country realized that every resource would be required to meet it.

For those who have been most impressed with the army's administration of the Civilian Conservation Corps, the reasons for success which has come to this movement will be of interest.

First, the Army was willing, but so were other individuals and governmental agencies, and willingness alone does not produce results. As all know no effort can succeed that is not organized, and organizational ability only comes through training. This special training our Army has had since the World War, partly within itself, but more largely thru its conduct of the Civilian Military Training Camps, the Reserve Officers Training Corps and the training of the reserve officers themselves. The latter have been one of the major elements in the success of this great experiment.

Their development and subsequent instructions has prepared the Army (or this peace time task and they themselves have stood ready to supplement and finally to almost entirely replace the Regular Army Officers in the C. C. Camps, thus permitting the latter to return to their normal duties of maintaining the national defense. The Reserve Officers military training has especially prepared them for the care of men and that is what is primarily necessary now. To feed, cloth, shelter, preserve the health, and maintain the morale of two hundred such as we find in each of these camps is no small job and that is just what a reserve officer in charge of one of them is doing. They have in the past year justified the faith the Army has had that they would be found ready and qualified to meet any emergency that might arise.

Most of us have been aware of the above peace time activity of the Army but fewer know of the large projects under public works that have been entrusted to the trained organization of the U. S. Engineer Corps. This branch of the Army has carried through strictly civil projects for improvement without special notice except by those immediately concerned.

Their effort in this aiding to put the President's Recovery Program into practical effect adds another to the long list of accomplishments justifying the faith that the Army always stands ready to do what is to be done in any emergency that may face our nation.

**Activities of St. Margaret's Daughters Benefit Ball April 11**

St. Margaret's Daughters held their regular monthly meeting on Wednesday evening with the president, Mrs. Wm. A. Seale, in the chair. Much business was discussed, owing to the cessation of C. W. A. works, St. Margaret's Daughters are being taxed to the utmost in distributing charity to the many, irrespective of creed or color.

This organization plans a dance Wednesday, April 11th and it is hoped that it will be well patronized. Everything is being done to make it enjoyable. Go and indulge in a pleasant time, and at the same time help a worthy cause. The date, April 11th at Uncle Charlie's Nite Club.

The following is a report of some of the many activities of St. Margaret's Daughters for the month of March:

Visited sick man and brought basket of food.  
1 blanket to sick man.  
2 baskets of food.

1 Prescription.  
Gave transportation to New Orleans and food to sick woman enroute to New Orleans from Montgomery.

Transportation to and from New Orleans for sick man. Clothed, fed and transported family to New Orleans woman and four children were found in box car thinly clad during last cold spell.

Three baskets of groceries for people sent by the Welfare.

WANTED TO RENT  
Good plow horse, light work. If satisfied will buy later. Manager, Ponce Pecan Grove, Bay St. Louis, P. O. Miss. 4-6-21p.

**WORK AND PLAY AT S. J. A.**

**A COMEDY.**  
Next Friday, April 13, a roaring comedy in three acts will be staged by the Seniors and Juniors of S. J. A. As the humorous situation grows with each new incident it will keep you guessing as to the final outcome. So if you wish to spend a pleasant evening come to St. Joseph Auditorium on Friday, April 13, at 8:00 o'clock and spend it with our—"THREE PEGS."

**SODALITY NEWS.**  
Father Fahey gave a very much appreciated talk about the Mass to the Sodalists at their meeting before the Easter vacation. To make it more interesting Father had brought over the vestments and the sacred vessels used in the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass. All the Sodalists enjoyed this instruction very much and are grateful to Father Fahey for a better understanding of this sublime drama.

On Thursday of this week there is to be a big Easter Hunt sponsored by the Children of Mary. Judging from the many donations of eggs that have already been received, the hunt promises to be an eventful one. As many prizes will be given, we hope that many tots will be made happy by winning one.

Many of the Sodalists will take part in the Sodality Convention which is to be held in New Orleans on April 7th and 8th. We hope that much enthusiasm for Mary and for more Catholic Action will be the result of the attendance at this convention.

**ATHLETIC NEWS.**  
The High School students were greeted with a pleasant surprise some time ago, when the going rang sooner than usual. It was not long before they learned the cause of this early dismissal—the presentation of the famous basketball trophy to the Seniors. No doubt you remember this exciting inter-class tournament when the Seniors in the finals beat the Sophs by two points.

As a souvenir of this hard-won fight, Mother Evelyn presented the trophy to Alice Camors, the captain, and then complimented the girls on their athletic ability. Clelia, Elaine and especially Tottie received honorable mention.

The Seniors are very proud of their cup and rightly so. The Juniors are hoping that they will be as fortunate next year. There is a remote possibility but time will tell.

As the time scheduled for the Tennis tournament Doubles was Good Friday, S. J. A. withdrew her players.

Lois Wolf participated in the Tennis Singles and although she went to the finals she was beaten by a close score. We congratulate you, Lois, on your good sportsmanship and on the good game which you played.

**EVER WELCOME SEWING CIRCLE MET AT MRS. KELLAR'S**

The Ever Welcome Sewing Circle met at the home of Mrs. T. Ed Kellar last Monday afternoon, with the following ladies present: Mesdames, Vaughn, Barker, Sylvester, Joyner, Speer.

Meeting will be held next Monday at the home of Mrs. Middleton on State Street with Mrs. Middleton as hostess. Everyone try and come, we miss you.

**Gulf Park College Revue.**

The annual revue of the Gulf Park College girls will be held Tuesday night, April 10th, at 8 P. M. in the Bay High auditorium.

The affair is sponsored by the Bay Saint Louis Rotary Club, and the Bay Central P. T. A.

Tickets will be 25 cents for adults; 15 cents for children.

—Sheriff T. Ed Kellar has returned from an official visit to Jackson, Miss.

—Attorney R. L. Genin was a business visitor to New Orleans Thursday.

**MR. AND MRS. R. F. O'DWYER ENTERTAIN AT DINNER MONDAY.**

Mr. and Mrs. Rudy F. O'Dwyer of New Orleans, spending the Easter weekend at their summer villa on the Waveland beach, entertained at dinner Monday at The Answer, the table set for eighteen covers. Affair was in compliment to members of a house party. Bay St. Louis guests included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and Mr. and Mrs. J. Harrison.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. E. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Richardson, Junior and Ashton O'Dwyer, Vernon Richardson, Miss Adele Bucher, and Mrs. E. H. Bucher.

Mrs. Bourgeois, hostess at The Answer, of the manner in which the swer had prepared a veritable feast and the guests were highly complimentary and serving as well had been handled.

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**P. T. A. Meeting**

The regular monthly meeting of the Bay Central P. T. A. will be held at the school, Tuesday, April 10th at 3 P. M. There will be the election of officers for next year.

**THE ECHO'S COOKING CLASS**

CAKES, not accompanied by any dainty dessert are sufficient for a course. The most important part is the rich filling and elaborate icings. Colored whipped cream and custard, combined with nuts, candied fruits, jams and jellies, make up the best part of the cake. There are many uncooked icings that are delicious. Try a one-piece dessert next time and see what an attractive cake you can make it.

**Fluffy Gingerbread.**  
2 eggs.  
2 teaspoons odas  
1-4 teaspoon nutmeg or ground spice  
1-4 teaspoon ground ginger  
1 cup brown sugar  
1 cup molasses  
1 cup cream or buttermilk  
1/2 cup butter  
1 teaspoon vanilla

Beat the eggs; add sugar; beat. Add molasses, beat until creamy; add melted shortening. Beat well; add vanilla, cream and continue beating. Add sifted dry ingredients. Beat until all air bubbles disappear. Set aside to ripen for 10 minutes. Stir and bake in 2 layers. Put cream filling between layers. Cut into squares, top each square with whipped cream.

Cut slices of sponge cake into rounds two inches in diameter. Arrange on a paper spread on a board. Place a ball of ice cream on each round of cake and cover both cream and sides of cake with meringue, made of the white of 4 eggs, beaten dry and then beaten stiff with 4 rounding tablespoons of granulated sugar, beaten in gradually. Put in a very hot oven for 2 or 3 minutes. The board, paper, cake and meringue are poor conductors of heat, therefore the ice cream does not melt.

**Berkshire Cake**  
4 eggs  
3-4 cups sugar  
1 teaspoon vanilla  
3-4 cup flour  
1-4 teaspoon salt  
Beat egg yolks until thick and lemon colored. Add sugar gradually, beating constantly. Add vanilla and mix well. Fold in flour and salt alternately with the stiffly beaten egg whites. Pour into 2 greased layer cake pans and bake in oven 375 degrees for 20 minutes. When cold spread filling between and on top of cake.

**Filling.**  
Melt 1/2 lb. sweet chocolate over hot water. Remove from fire. Add 1 egg and mix well. Fold in 1 cup cream beaten until stiff.

Mother—Oh, Freddie, I thought we had all agreed to economize, and here I find you eating bread with both jam and butter on it.  
Freddie—Why, of course, mother; one slice of bread does for both.